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- 1. EMBASSY NOTES PARTICULARLY THAT OAS REPORT IS NOT CURRENT. IT IS BASED ON INFORMATION RESULTING FROM VISIT TO CHILE OVER A YEAR AGO, AND MANY OF PERSONAL EXPERIENCES DESCRIBED IN IT DATE BACK TO PERIOD IMMEDIATELY AFTER COUP OF TWO YEARS AGO.
- 2. AS EMBASSY UNDERSTANDS IT, OAS GENERAL ASSEMBLY SOME MONTHS AGO DECIDED IN EFFECT NOT TO ADDRESS REPORT OF ITS HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION ON CHILE THIS YEAR, SINCE UN HUMAN RIGHTS COMMISSION STUDY GROUP WOULD BE DEALING WITH PROBLEM. UNAUTHORIZED DISCLOSURE OF TEXT OF OAS REPORT LED TO GOC PROTEST AND SOME SUBSEQUENT ACTION AGAINST RESPONSIBLE OAS OFFICIAL.
- 3. GOC WOULD REACT BADLY TO IPU REQUEST TO OAS TO PUBLISH ITS REPORT, PARTICULARLY AT THIS TIME. UN STUDY GROUP IS WINDING UP PRELIMINARY REPORT FOR CIRCULATION DURING UNGA SESSION. THOUGH UN STUDY GROUP WAS NOT ALLOWED TO VISIT LIMITED OFFICIAL USE

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CHILE, ITS FINDINGS WILL CERTAINLY COVER MUCH OF THE SAME

GROUND AS THE OAS REPORT, AND IT SHOULD BE AVAILABLE WITHIN A RELATIVELY SHORT TIME. OFFICIAL PUBLICATION NOW OF OAS REPORT, WHOSE CONTENTS ARE ALREADY WIDELY KNOWN, WOULD HAVE MAINLY PSYCHOLOGICAL EFFECT, AND COULD INCREASE PRESSURE ON CHILE AT UNGA.

4. IF US REP ON IPU EXECUTIVE COMMITTEE TAKES POSITION FAVORING PUBLICATION OF OAS REPORT, WE SUGGEST HE MAKE POINT THAT GOC REJOINDER SHOULD BE PUBLISHED AT SAME TIME. POPPER

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